REPUBLICANS' RECKLESS SPENDING PLAN WOULD <u>COST TENNESSEE JOBS</u> AND MAKE TENNESSEE COMMUNITIES <u>LESS SAFE</u>

There is no disagreement that we need to cut spending. We believe that we need to do it in a responsible way so that we live within our means and can invest in the future, out-building, out-educating, and out-innovating our competitors in the world economy. But as the economy continues to recover from the deepest recession in a generation, we cannot afford to make dramatic and indiscriminate cuts that would undermine Tennessee jobs and public safety. The reckless Republican spending plan would do just that - an estimated 14,000 Tennessee jobs would be lost if H.R. 1 is enacted into law, and thousands of Tennessee families would be less safe.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WOULD DESTROY TENNESSEE JOBS

➢ Independent, non-partisan analysis has found that H.R. 1 will cut 700,000 jobs through 2012, with Tennessee set to lose more than 14,000 jobs.

➢ More than 2,600 community health center jobs will be eliminated in Tennessee if the House-passed bill is enacted.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WOULD HURT EDUCATION IN TENNESSEE, MAKE TENNESSEE'S WORKFORCE LESS COMPETITIVE

➢ Under H.R.1, the average Tennessee undergraduate with Pell college tuition assistance will see their assistance cut by nearly $700.

➢ Nearly 4,000 Tennessee children will lose access to Head Start, an early education program that is proven to help students complete high school.

➢ Tennessee could lose more than $63 million in job training investments under H.R.1, which would impact approximately 58,000 potential Tennessee workers.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WILL MAKE TENNESSEE LESS SAFE

➢ H.R. 1 reduces Byrne Justice Grants for Tennessee by $3.6 million.

➢ H.R. 1 reduces Tennessee's homeland security investments by more than $1.3 million, hurting local law enforcement's ability to keep Tennessee families safe.

➢ The Chattanooga, Nashville, and Memphis areas will lose more than $1.7 million in Port Security Grants under H.R. 1.